IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

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PROMOTION EVENT CALENDER

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AMENDMENT A

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 31, 2008

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 1, 2008, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.